



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS  
2 NAVY ANNEX  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20370-5100

LCC:ddj  
Docket No: 4979-00  
7 November 2000

[REDACTED]

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to the provisions of title 10 of the United States Code, section 1552.

[REDACTED]

A three-member panel of the Board for Correction of Naval Records, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 7 November 2000. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application, together with all material submitted in support thereof, your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations and policies. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion furnished by BUPERS memorandum 1430 SER 85/1086 of 29 September 2000, a copy of which is attached.

After careful and conscientious consideration of the entire record, the Board found that the evidence submitted was insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. In this connection, the Board substantially concurred with the comments contained in the advisory opinion. We have enclosed a copy of your page 9s which reflects your grade from 30 April 1949 through your date of transfer to the Fleet Reserve. Your grade is shown as SD1, paygrade E-6. Accordingly, your application has been denied. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request.

It is regretted that the circumstances of your case are such that favorable action cannot be taken. You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new and material evidence or other matter not previously considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,

W. DEAN PFEIFFER  
Executive Director

Enclosures



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29 Sep 00

MEMORANDUM FOR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL  
RECORDS (BCNR)

Via: Assistant for BCNR Matters (PERS-00XCB)

Subj: COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE CASE OF  
[REDACTED]

Ref: (a) BUPERSINST 1430.16D

Encl: (1) BCNR file #01811-00

1. Based on policy and guidelines established in reference (a), enclosure (1) is returned recommending disapproval.
2. Having reviewed Petty Officer [REDACTED] records there is no indication of his ever being advanced to Chief Petty Officer, nor is there any indication of his being reduced in rate.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "F. L. Cox", is positioned above the typed name.

F. L. COX

By direction